

Swell Prizes At Cooking School

Dinner Ware And Food Baskets Among Offerings; List Of Fortunate

Among the offerings at today's final session of the SIERRA MADRE NEWS free cooking school at the Woman's clubhouse, are by:

Ellen's Beauty Shoppe—Order for steam oil shampoo and finger wave.

Perry's Food Mart—Large basket of groceries.

Safeway Stores—Large basket of groceries.

Sierra Madre Hardware Co.—Pyrex double boiler.

Soluri's Grocery—Monarch canned goods.

Langley's Barber Shop—Order for woman's hair cut.

Sierra Madre Dairy—One quart daily milk for a month.

Sierra Madre News—100 calling cards.

Happy's Liquor Store—Two quarts wine individual prizes.

Monrovia Theatre—Two seats.

Uptown Theatre—Two seats.

Lyric Theatre—Two seats.

Arcadia Theatre—Two seats.

Ben Hur Coffee Co.—3 lb. jars coffee.

Safeway Bakeries—Assorted berry products.

Package Pen-Jell, Pompeian olive oil, Iris food products and K. C. baking powder.

Various dishes prepared in the Cooking School by Mrs. Lucile Martens, the director, and

The Grand Prize—Complete dinner set of famous Franciscan colored pottery dishes with meat platters, large vegetable dishes and nest of mixing bowls.

Tuesday's Cooking School winners, their prizes and the donors were:

Perry's Food Mart, Package Chili Con Carne—Mrs. F. B. Chamberlin, 89 East Algoria.

Ben Hur Coffee—Ethel M. Henderson, 161 Santa Anita Court.

Can Iris Brand Salad Vegetables—Mrs. S. Nunn, 113 South Hermosa.

Two tickets Uptown Theatre—Della F. Brain, 61 West Highland.

Pantry Set, Garland's Variety Store—Mrs. Weber Camp, 413 Mariposa.

Ben Hur Jasmine Tea—Mrs. M. A. Cops, 73 Esperanza.

Merchandise Order, Lovell's Sierra Madre Garage—Mary Frances Brain, 61 West Highland.

Iris Golden Yellow Tomato Juice—John A. Harrison, 1233 South 6th Avenue, Arcadia.

One quart Fly Spray, Welch's Feed & Fuel—Miss Minerva Thompson, 264 San Gabriel Court.

Box Candy, Sierra News Stand—Mrs. C. S. Fite, 525 Brookside Lane.

Pompeian Olive Oil—Joan Adams, 265 San Gabriel Court.

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FRIDAY, MAY 14, 1937

Baseball Season Opens Here With Game Tomorrow

The Sierra Madre Merchants baseball team opens its home season tomorrow, Friday night, on the school grounds, playing the strong Monrovia Gas Co. team of that city. The game starts promptly at 8 o'clock.

The batting order for the local club is undecided, but the battery will be Jobey Kiggins in the box with "Buster" Brain behind the bat. Perry will play first base, Burt second, Marsh third and Ross short stop. The outfield will be patrolled by Lorenzini, Evans, Sanchez and Lalone.

Sierra Madre Youth Wins Art Contest

Leslie Wynn's Painting Tops Professionals—Mrs. Elmer Weese Is Second

The well-known thrill that comes once in a lifetime will be experienced by 16-year-old Leslie Wynn, Jr., of 273 Sturtevant Drive, tomorrow when at a gala dinner under the wistaria vine at the Wistaria Gardens he will be presented with a \$100 check for his winning painting in the city's first annual Wistaria Art Contest.

Ironically enough, young Wynn, who took top honors in a field of 27 contestants which included many nationally-famed artists, got an "Unsatisfactory" grade in art class at Pasadena Jaycee because his teacher thought he "lacked imagination."

The award is the second honor accorded the talented son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Wynn who started painting only three years ago.

Two years ago he received honorable mention in an art show held at the city hall.

His \$100 prize-winning painting—view of the Sierra Madre mountains looking across the Yew Gardens Nursery on North Lima street—underwent the scrutiny of a trio of hard-boiled judges at Alfred James Dewey's Old Adobe studio Monday morning. They included Arthur Miller, Los Angeles Times art critic; George Flower, Pasadena painter and art tutor, and Mildred Brooks, nationally-noted etcher.

Honorable mention went to Mrs. Elmer Marvin Weese, 358 North Canyon Drive; Sydney Brock, Beverly Hills, and Mrs. Coralice Spaulding, Los Angeles.

Mrs. Weese's subject was the home of Miss Thomasella H. Graham, 457 North Lima street. Brock chose the entrance to Bailey Canyon and Mrs. Spaulding painted a view of the wistaria vine in full bloom.

Following tomorrow night's dinner which gets under way at 7:30 p.m., all of the paintings will remain on exhibition in Scenic Point pavilion for several weeks. Arrangements are being made to stage a one-man show of Wynn's work at the pavilion in the near future.

"The artists were unanimous in their praise of the way the contest was handled," Dewey pointed out yesterday. "They particularly emphasized the fact that despite the publicity surrounding the contest they were not made to feel as if they were in a zoo. Spectators were uniformly considerate which is pretty high testimony to the quality of folks who attend

Gabriel Court.

Cooking Utensil, Sierra Madre Appliance Co.—Mrs. Bert Lewin, 12 Bella Vista Terrace.

Cook Book and K. C. Baking Powder—Mrs. Helen Warden, 366 West Sierra Madre Blvd.

Pompeian Olive Oil—Mrs. Velma Herber, 225 Mountain Trail.

Tamales, pound package Lard—Florence Steward, 206 Auburn.

Grocery Order, Norris Grocery—Shirley Larsen, 118 N. Lima.

Veal Meat Ring, Cooking School—Anna Mithing, 29 South Baldwin.

Fresh Vegetable Salad, Cooking School—Mrs. C. V. Cameron, 113 South Hermosa.

Peanut Brittle Cake, Cooking School—Mrs. Mabel Smith, 642 Brookside Lane.

Jam Roly-Poly, Cooking School—Mrs. H. C. Parker, 192 North Baldwin.

The second day's prize winners and their prizes were:

Can A-1 Sauce—Mrs. Ida Obst, 502 1/2 W. Highland avenue.

Cooking Utensil, Sierra Madre Appliance Co.—Mrs. George Lehner, 550 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.

Iris Tomato Juice—Mrs. C. S. Fite, 525 Brookside Lane.

Ben Hur Fortune Telling Game—Mrs. Florence Garrison, 196 N. Canon avenue.

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Package Ben Hur Tea—Mrs. G. A. Fitzpatrick, 334 S. Oakland, Pasadena.

K. C. Baking Powder—Mrs. Lee Huren, 269 E. Villa St. Pasadena.

Fancy Dimity Apron—C. A. Colbert, 187 N. Auburn.

Honey Server with Honey, Roberts Market—Mrs. Fannie Sea, 198 W. Montecito.

Two theatre tickets, Arcadia

NEWS Free Cooking School Attracts Hundreds; Last Session Is To-day

The free cooking school of the SIERRA MADRE NEWS comes to a close today with the final session in the Woman's club house beginning promptly at 2 o'clock. A record attendance is expected and it is suggested that you go as early as possible to insure yourself a good seat, though it is believed the ample auditorium of the clubhouse will accommodate everyone comfortably.

The school has been the most largely attended, interesting and instructive affair of the kind ever held in Sierra Madre, and is generally recognized as an outstanding community event. From the very outset Mrs. Lucile Martens, the director, made friends with and won the interest of her audience. At yesterday's sessions she was bombarded with questions which she answered freely and understandingly as she went ahead with the preparation of tempting dishes that were so quickly and easily prepared that it seemed a fairly with a magic wand must be standing in the wings of the stage directing her hands instead of Miss Mary Clark, her assistant.

The school was opened at 2 o'clock Tuesday by L. R. Goshorn, publisher of THE NEWS, who thanked the local merchants for their exceptionally fine interest and cooperation. It was quite unheard of, he said, for the business folk of a community to take such an interest in a cooking school that even a barber shop, gas stations, a drug store, garages and tailors offered prizes. He was also generous in his appreciation of the fine cooperation shown by officers of the Woman's Club and the Southern Counties Gas Co., who joined in sponsoring the school.

Mrs. Martens, to whom most cooking schools are just more cooking schools, said the interest in her demonstration and the cooperation given by the local business houses had inspired a real enthusiasm in her. Going about from place to place to

Meeting To Protest Packing Of The Supreme Court

One of the most interesting meetings of protest against President Roosevelt's plan to "pack" the United States Supreme Court will be held in Monrovia May 21, when Marshall Stinson will address a mass meeting of citizens from Sierra Madre, Monrovia, Arcadia, Azusa and Duarte.

Stinson is one of Southern California's bitterest foes of the plan to destroy the political independence of the Supreme Court and is nationally recognized as an authority on the Constitution of the United States and the history and practice of the Supreme Court.

The meeting, a dinner meeting, is scheduled for 6:30 o'clock and will be held in the Monrovia Woman's Clubhouse. Tickets may be had at the NEWS office.

our Wistaria Fete."

While the contest closed Saturday, artists are still painting here. One and all they acknowledged the city's "location" possibilities for all-year-round painting and declared that, as a result of the contest, Southern artists are unanimous in voting the Wistaria Town a veritable painters' paradise.

Theatre—Mrs. Carl A. Greese, 225 San Gabriel Court.

Richard Hudnut Perfume, Dyck's Sierra Madre Drug Store—Mrs. W. O. Preston, 503 West Montecito.

Ben Hur Coffee—Mrs. Gellatly, 625 West Grand View.

Broiled Steak, Cooking School—Mrs. J. Andrew Hall, 611 West Grand View.

Cake, Cooking School—Mrs. Cera N. Harrison, 1233 So. 6th, Arcadia.

Fruit Salad, Cooking School, Mrs. C. H. Sandage, 168 West Highland.

Vegetable Salad, Cooking School—Miss C. Wastun, 162 N. Grove.

Frankfurter Nest, Cooking School—Mary Frances Brain, 61 W. Highland.

Suit Cleaning and Pressing order by Sierra Madre Tailors—Florence Steward, 206 North Auburn.

Iris Vegetables—Mrs. S. Nunn, 113 S. Hermosa.

4 Quart Can Sta-Lube Oil by Norma Garage—Mrs. Harry Drayman, 256 Del Ray Ave., Pasadena.

Can Pompeian Olive Oil—Mrs. W. Bradley, 154 N. Mt. Trail.

Ben Hur Coffee—Mrs. C. H. Tuggle, 270 West Sierra Madre Blvd.

Iris Tomato Juice—Mrs. H. S. Dowling, 514 Ramona.

Two tickets, Monrovia Theatre—Annie Rowley, Manzanita avenue.

Ladies hair cut, Langley's Barber Shop—Mrs. P. R. Penn, 41 South Baldwin.

Can Pompeian Olive Oil—Mrs. Bertha H. Porter, 145 E. Algoria.

Two theatre tickets, Lyric Theatre—Mrs. Val Miller, 144 San Gabriel Ct.

100 Visiting Cards, Sierra

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19 Draw Fines For Speed Or Reckless Driving Here

A total of 19 citations have been handed out since police launched their anti-traffic fatality campaign April 29, Judge T. W. Neale pointed out yesterday.

Determined to make the city's streets safe for pedestrians, the judge is adhering to a hard and fast rule of "no suspensions."

Fines meted out have ranged from \$3 to \$25.

Fake Mountie Inmate Of Many Jails

Missing Crawford Spent Most Of Ten Years Behind Bars From Coast To Coast

Ten years in and out of prison for passing fictitious checks and larceny is the sordid background of William H. Crawford, self-styled Canadian "mountie" who recently accepted the hospitality of prominent Sierra Madre and Santa Anita Oaks residents, a letter from the Criminal Investigation Branch of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police revealed to police here yesterday.

Commencing in 1927, Crawford's criminal record extends from Worcester, Mass., to the Pacific Coast—with a couple of aliases thrown in for good measure.

The story starts with a two-year sentence to Texas State Prison in 1927 for issuing fictitious checks. At that time the man's alias was A. H. Stanton. Two years later, in 1929, he passed \$1300 worth of "rubber" checks in Worcester, Mass. The same year, this time under the name of William H. Crawford, he was sentenced to from one to 15 years in Washington State Reformatory. Paroled to Massachusetts authorities in 1930, he was again in the toils of the law when, in 1931, he did a 30-day "stretch" in Erie County Penitentiary, Mill Grove, N.Y., for petty larceny.

A year later, as Crawford alias Ross Parsons, he was sentenced to the same institution for 295 days on a similar charge. Following a charge to defraud customs in Montreal, in 1935, he next came to the attention of the law in Springfield, Mass., and Hartford, Conn., last March, shortly before he appeared here.

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Canyon Park Store Changes Hands

George H. Blume, for many years a grocery store owner in Duarte, has purchased the Noyes Market, 440 Sturtevant Drive, in the Canyon Park and has already assumed charge. He expressed himself as pleased with the city and its people and is not only refurnishing but restocking his store.

Mrs. Louise Allan, 172 North Lima street, spent the weekend in Los Angeles with her daughter, Mrs. Mildred Meyers.



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NOTED HORSEMAN TO RESIDE HERE

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Richards have persuaded them that Sierra Madre is an ideal place to live. Tuesday they gave up their home in Los Angeles and moved to Sierra Madre, to reside at 108 North Baldwin avenue—the Bert Smith home. Mr. Richards is a well known trainer of race horses and has trained some of the leading hay burners in America. Mrs. Richards is known for her former opera work.

WAIKIKI WEDDING AT THE LYRIC THEATRE

High comedy, music and romance in glamorous Waikiki, enacted by a splendid cast including some of the best known names of radio and screen, make up "Waikiki Wedding," which opens Saturday for a five-day engagement at the Monrovia Lyric Theatre. The cast is headed by Bing Crosby and includes Bob Burns, Martha Raye, Shirley Ross, George Barbier and Leif Erikson, with background and atmosphere provided by 250 native dancers, drummers and musicians. The second feature on the program is "Eric Linden and Cecilia Parker in 'Girl Loves Boy.'" Walt Disney's latest color cartoon, "Don Donald," completes the bill.

MRS. J. H. ROBERTSON WILL SPEAK ON THE AIR

Mrs. John H. Robertson, state advisor to the Junior membership of the CFWC will speak on Thursday morning, May 20, from 10:15 to 10:30 over station KHJ. Her subject will be "Juniors, their aims and achievements."

CHURCHES

Christian Science

First Church of Christ Scientist of Sierra Madre is a branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Sunday Service.

The subject of the Lesson-Sermon is "Mortals and Immortals" on Sunday in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass. The Golden Text is from Paul's epistle to the Romans: "They that are in the flesh can not please God. But ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you."

8 p.m., Wednesday—Testimonial meeting.



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FRIENDSHIP CLUB HOLDS PARTY FOR MRS. GARRISON

In honor of Mrs. Florence Garrison who is leaving soon for her future home at Inglewood, members of the "Friendship" Club of the Congregational church, presented her with a lovely farewell gift at their regular business and social meeting Monday evening. Mrs. William Adwell and Mrs. Maybelle Barker were hostesses. May baskets of red roses and white hedge decorated the room and a large May basket, heavily laden with fruit, centered the luncheon table. Refreshments were also served in May baskets. Monopoly was the evening's diversion, with Mrs. Al Myers winning high score prize and Mrs. Robert Smith second high.

The next meeting, to be in June, is "Husband and Children's" night, with plans now underway for a picnic supper and dance to be held at the city park. This will be the last meeting until Fall and a large attendance is desired.

SIERRA MADREAN WEDS A LONG BEACH GIRL

A pretty wedding took place at the Church of the Ascension at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon when Margaret Lucille Simpson of Long Beach, was united in marriage to Sydney J. Davis, son of J. E. Davis of Sierra Madre. Dean Arnold G. H. Bode read the marriage vows. The church was decorated with snowballs and

May flowers. Miss Simpson was charmingly dressed in a dove-colored wool gown and wore an orchid corsage. The couple will reside at Long Beach.

MOTHERS OF JUNIOR WOMEN HONORED AT TEA

It was a lovely Mother's Day Sunday for the Junior Women of Sierra Madre when they honored their mothers at a tea and luncheon given at the Woman's club house. Mothers and daughters mingled together during the afternoon hours from 3 to 5 and enjoyed a delightful social affair. Miss Cricket Calkin, charming in a white formal gown, gave a tribute to mothers. Mrs. J. H. Robertson poured tea and was assisted in serving by Miss Mary Frances Brain, Angee PerLee and Jane McElwain. Mrs. Mary Schwartz, general chairman for the occasion, was assisted by Elizabeth Pridham in decorating. Baskets and bouquets of roses, sweet peas and ferns, transformed the clubroom into a bower of loveliness.

SOCIAL NOTES

Miss Jane Anderson was hostess to members of the Aeolian Club of P.J.C. on Monday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Anderson, 541 West Montecito avenue. Twenty-five members were present to enjoy the buffet supper, served at 6 o'clock. A social evening at the home of Miss Anderson followed the supper.

A lovely turkey dinner was enjoyed Sunday by the Samuel Mercer family, 258 Adams street, on the occasion of Mr. Mercer's birthday. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Marion L. Hays and daughter, Ruth Allen and Mercer Duff of Sierra Madre; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar R. Jacobson and family, Claire, Ardis Mae and Edwin of Oro Grande; and Mrs. Albert Connell and son, Ralph and daughter Phyllis of Utopia.

Miss Moreland Kortkamp, 32 Park avenue, was hostess last night at a farewell dinner party, complimenting Miss Ruth Basden, Hollywood voice teacher and her students who are leaving next week for Europe. Miss Kortkamp accompanied Miss Basden's students at the piano during their training at her Hollywood studio. Guests included Miss Basden, Virginia James, Lucille Miller, Randy Craig, Bob Gordon and Max Schmitt.

Wilson Jr. High Boys Entertain Dads

Featuring a play by the boys of the school drama class, community singing and talks by McClellan Reed and Clarence F. Shoop, the biennial father-son banquet was held Friday at Woodrow Wilson Junior High School. Gale Hersey, 10-2, acted as toastmaster, Gordon Gibbs, 10-2, gave a brief greeting to the dads.

Taking part in the play, "Dress Rehearsal," were Gale Hersey, Lorne Pratt, Aubrey Overstreet, John Packard, Thomas Warner, James Wells, Tom Mitchell, Guy Knight and Jim Cauley.

"MADAME SANS-GENE" AT PLAYHOUSE NEXT

Irene Biller and Thomas Browne Henry will lead the play procession in "Madame Sans-Genie," first production in the late spring play season at the Pasadena Community Playhouse.

In the famous Sardou-Moreau story of the French Revolution, the beautiful lady from Budapest will play the washerwoman who became an empress while Henry, popular Playhouse actor-director, will appear as Napoleon. "Madame Sans-Genie," is slated for May 18 to 29.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TRUSTEE

(School Code Section 2.873)

NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of SIERRA MADRE CITY Elementary School District of LOS ANGELES County, California, that the Annual Election for School Trustee for SIERRA MADRE CITY Elementary School District will be held at the Sierra Madre City Schoolhouse in said district on the first Friday in JUNE, viz, JUNE 4, 1937.

It will be necessary to elect 1 trustee for three years.

The polls will be open between the hours of 9 o'clock A.M., and 5 o'clock P.M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election are: Madeleine Shippey, Inspector; Lillie H. Wood, Judge; Marian E. Pendergast, Judge.

Dated April 30th, 1937.
SIGNED: (School Trustees)
RUDOLPH R. HARTMAN
EDWIN W. WARD
HENRIETTA G. HINKLEY, Clerk

SIERRA MADRE CITY
Elementary School District.

Gay Time Promised At British Old Folks Home

The Daughters of the British Empire are to celebrate the coronation of King George VI on Saturday, May 15, at the British Old People's Home, 649 Manzanita avenue, with a picnic at the grounds of the home from 12 to 5:30 p.m. Visitors may bring their own picnic baskets or may purchase sandwiches, tea and coffee, at the home. There will be entertainment and a program at 2:15, consisting of Highland dances by Jean Morrison and Betty Mathieson of the Daughters of Scotia, accompanied by the Scotch bagpipes.

A piano solo by Miss Adah Roper Harris of Hollywood, and several songs from the musical compositions of Marian West-garth Richards, Regent of the John Ruskin Chapter are also on the program. Singers will include Madam Effie Shearer of Los Angeles, Madame Henrietta Gullans, Miss Olive Sedgeman, Miss L. Holmes and Miss Harvey of Sierra Madre. Mrs. Nellie Viera will be accompanist.

Speakers will be F. E. Evans, the British consul and Lee Shippey, famed columnist. Miss Florence Gill of MGM studios, Hollywood, will also take part in the program. The public is cordially invited.

YOUNG PEOPLE WILL HAVE SKATING PARTY

All young people of the Junior high school and Junior college age are cordially invited to be present at the Congregational Young People's Society meetings on Sunday evening that begin at 6:30. On Friday evening the society is entertaining with a skating party in the social hall of the church. Skating will be from 7 o'clock until 9. Everyone is extended an invitation to come and join in the fun.

DRAMA GUILD NOTES

The 20th meeting of the Senior Drama Guild was held Monday evening with Grace Jensen presiding. Forrest Bartlett and Ethel Brett, two new members, were present along with Dorothy Hogan and Bob Yarbrough, guests for the evening. Norman Hogan, design contest editor, announced that the contest in little theatre decoration will continue until June 10. The next edition of the Guild News will be dedicated to the sponsors. Russell Lovejoy, chairman of the ways and means committee and his committee will meet tonight (Thursday). Saturday, the Junior Drama Guild is sponsoring a candy sale and Mrs. Eakman, advisor, announced there would be another dinner given May 29.

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Four Hundred Girls Dance In Festival At Wilson High

After a short P.T.A. business meeting in the Willard Auditorium, Woodrow Wilson Junior High school students, Wednesday afternoon, following an old English custom, had a May Festival on the Wilson football field. Mrs. H. B. Hersey, P. T. A. president, presided in the Auditorium.

In the Coronation, four hundred Wilson girls participated, each physical education class handling a definite dance, which were a part of their regular class work. The May Queen, Julia O'Grady, 10-2, entered accompanied by her attendants: Jean Lindsley, 10-1; Hope Craverson, 10-1; Doris Corbett, 10-2; Gwen Matthecheck, 10-2, and was crowned. The crown bearer, Dorothy Alley, 7-2, obtained her position by outstanding citizenship in the school. As the Queen entered, the combined glee clubs, under the direction of Miss Rua Lowe, glee club director, sang a number. The singers were accompanied by Lorraine Henry.

After the dances by the various classes, all the girls joined in the grand finale, "Maze on a Cree." The jesters were Margaret Arnold, 10-2; Fern Lawrence, 10-1; Bernice Lowden, 10-2; Betty Jo Adams, 8-1; Jennie Nobles, 7-2; Mary Gullock, 8-1; Mary Cogswell, 7-2; and Martha Mow, 7-2.

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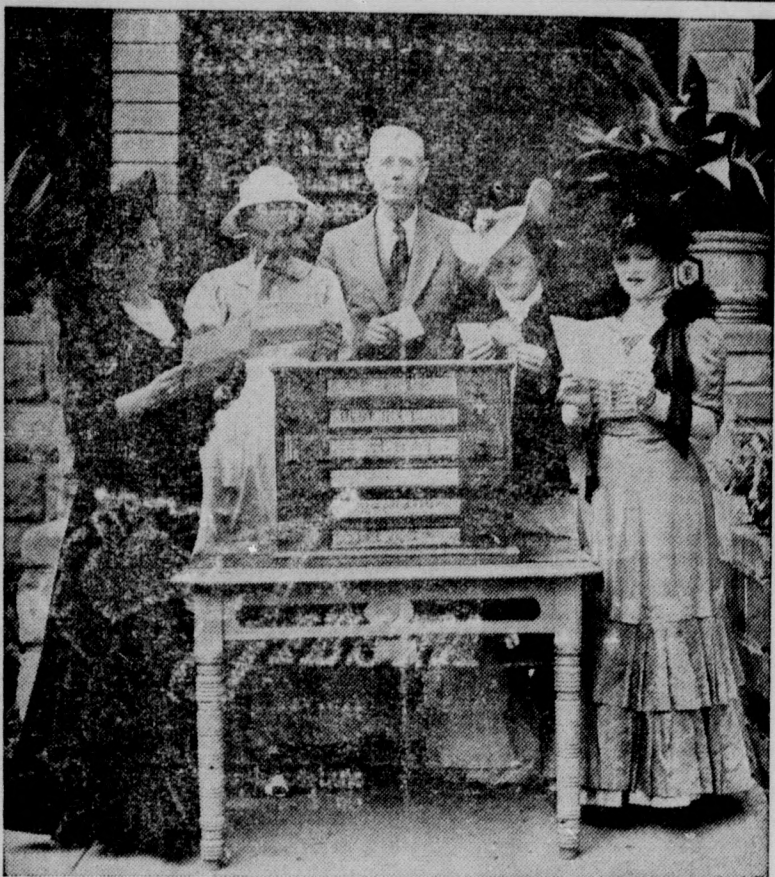
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Revive First Glendora Postoffice



As preparations for Glendora's Golden Get-together fiftieth anniversary celebration, scheduled May 29, near completion, scenes similar to the above are being revived throughout the city. Fifty years ago, six pioneer families of the city received their mail from the "postoffice" shown above which was re-established this week at its original location, the Cullen homestead in Glendora. Keith M. Suydam, oldest former postmaster still residing in the city, of which he is now mayor, is handing out mail to descendants of pioneer families of the city. Receiving mail are, left to right, Marge Comstock, Dorothy Bernhardt, Mildred Comstock and Virginia Colvin.

Sierra Madre Ranks High In 4-H Fair

Success Of Event At El Monte Rests On Shoulders Of Local Boys And Girls

More Sierra Madre boys and girls than ever before will act as officials at this year's Los Angeles County 4-H Club Fair, being held in conjunction with the End of Santa Fe Trail days celebration at El Monte May 21 and 22.

The Fair, under the guidance of the Leaders' Council, is operated by the senior and junior members, which gives them experience in running a fair and teaches them how to take responsibility.

Members of the Woodrow Wilson Junior High School 4-H Club who will serve as officials are:

Pigeons—Norman Jensen, superintendent; John Coit, assistant superintendent; Rabbits—Lorne Pratt, assistant superintendent; Albert Karr, assistant superintendent; Paul Sanders, assistant superintendent; Mr. E. C. Sanders, advisor. Clothing—Helen Kingsley, assistant superintendent; Katherine Norris, assistant superintendent. Food Concession committee—Bonita Williams, assistant superintendent; Clay Reavis, assistant superintendent. Equipment committee—Norman Jensen, assistant superintendent; Lorne Pratt, assistant superintendent in general charge.

Because of the large number of entries made at last year's Fair, it was decided to hold a two-day show this year. The Fair will be held in the El Monte Walnut Packing House at the corner of Tyler and Columbia streets, El Monte.

Mayor-Elect Will Push Secession

Shaw Wants City Of L. A. To Vote On Withdrawing From County Government

Revival of the hotly-disputed city-council simplification plan was the subject of cloakroom discussion at the Los Angeles Hall of Records yesterday, following the reelection of Mayor Frank L. Shaw, last week.

Vigorously opposed by City Manager Al S. Myers, as well as officials of many Southland cities, the plan received Mayor Shaw's nod both before and during his candidacy for reelection to the extent that he declared he will submit the issue for an initiative vote of Los Angeles city residents.

Just now the fate of the plan largely depends on a bill in the legislature which sets up the necessary legal machinery to permit Los Angeles to withdraw from the present county government. The bill has been given a "do pass" recommendation by an Assembly committee.

Agitated for more than 25 years, the plan has been studied by at least three special commissions, while the last two mayors of Los Angeles have included the city-county suggestion in their annual reports. A lengthy document, giving arguments against the merger, has been compiled by the county efficiency bureau.

While the county counsel's office points to numerous difficulties that would arise if the issue ever gets to the point of actually divorcing Los Angeles from the present county government, it is felt that the moment of such a move rapidly is drawing near.

Assembly Tax Bill Gives Officials Deep Concern

Progress through the legislature of a bill proposing to establish a \$3 per \$100 assessed valuation tax limit to cover all forms of taxes, including city, county, state and school, yesterday was being watched with interest by city officials here.

Sierra Madre's combined tax rate for 1936-37 is \$5.80.

That it would be virtually impossible to conduct the City of Sierra Madre under a combined \$3 rate is claimed by city officials because of outstanding bond issues. They declared that the bill, which will effect the change through a constitutional amendment, constituted a clear invasion of municipal rights. They also asserted that there would be a general free-for-all on the part of the various governmental units to grab a share of the \$3, leaving the city in a "tight spot" and forcing curtailment of virtually all municipal activities.

TOM TYLER WILL OPEN A NEW STORE HERE

Genial Tom Tyler has returned to Sierra Madre again and announces that he will open a gentlemen's furnishing goods store at 18 West Sierra Madre Blvd., carrying a complete line of merchandise. The new store, formerly occupied by the real estate firm of Mrs. C. A. Allen, will open for business in about ten days.

Tyler for 13 years owned and operated the Sierra Madre Furniture store on North Baldwin avenue. After disposing of his business he moved to Barstow and opened the Motor Inn. Anxious to return to Sierra Madre, he recently sold his inn to Allan N. Hoyt of Glendale.

Local Legion Ball Players Join East Pasadena Team

You can't keep a good man down nor an old base ball bug out of the game. Sierra Madre being without a Legion League team of its own this year, the other night found Waverly Pratt in the box and Minor Harkness on third base for the East Pasadena Legion team. They were facing the old Sierra Madre team's bitterest diamond foes, the Pasadena Legionnaires. In mid-season form, Pratt bewildered the Crown City aggregation and walked off the field with an 8 to 7 victory.

It is probable that when East

Pasadena plays its next game there will be a third Sierra Madrean in its lineup, either Wynne or Mathis.

Much regret has been expressed here over the failure of the hometown Legion post to continue a team in the league. But it is explained that some of the main standbys of the local team, including the hard hitting Bur-

roughs, Charley Taylor and others have moved away to accept positions in other cities. Some other members of the former team feel that they are too old to play any more and it seemed impossible to get more than seven members of Post 297 into uniforms. Rules of the league are very strict in the requirement that only Legionnaires shall be eligible to play in League games.

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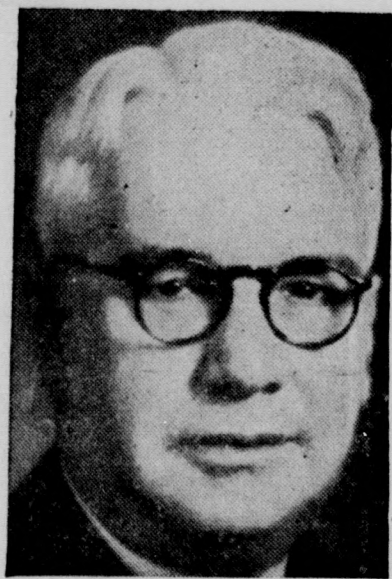
Seeking to effect further rate reductions, negotiations for adjustments in the rates of the Southern Counties Gas Company were being made yesterday by the state railroad commission.

The commission's action, in line with its recently adopted policy of conducting informal investigations and negotiations rather than court proceedings, follows completion of a detailed study of the company's operations.

"This type of investigation brings immediate benefits to the utility consumer, as opposed to the former proceeding which requires many months of tedious, legal formalities before the commission order can be issued, and then is often further delayed by appeals," President Wallace L. Ware explained.

He'll Boss New Union Station Building

J. R. Hitchcock, general manager of the Santa Fe Coast Lines, as chairman of the board of managers for the Los Angeles Union Passenger Terminal, will



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direct construction of the magnificent new terminal. His election, just announced, is to succeed F. H. Knickerbocker, of the Union Pacific railroad, who was recently transferred to Seattle.

H. J. Plumbhof, general manager of the Union Pacific, will fill the vacancy on the board. A. T. Mercier, general manager of the Southern Pacific, is the other member of the board in charge of the huge project.

BUILDING PERMITS TAKE A DROP

Last month's building permits fell short of the corresponding period a year ago. Alterations largely accounted for the April figure this year, only one permit for a new house having been issued.

Permits for the first four months of 1937 total \$33,404. Permits to the value of \$54,126 had been issued up to the same time last year.

Swelling this month's construction activity, permits for new garages have been issued to Mrs. Lydia P. Grant, 201 West Sierra Madre boulevard, B. F. Robinson, 401 North Auburn avenue, and Mrs. F. K. Wark, 41 West Laurel avenue. A permit to repair fire damage at 201 East Grand View avenue has been issued to Esther Silberman.

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But not Laurel E. Brockway, self supporting resident of Winter, Wis., whose recent exacting request to the All-Year Club for an ideal Southern California community in which to live, was given to all Southern California newspapers.

No, Brockway, whose mail now approximates that of a WPA director, chuckled with delight and immediately instituted a "Sunshine Contest" in which he is rating each community on the of the presentation made for it, quality of the presentation made for it, he revealed yesterday in a letter to Don Thomas, the All-Year

Club's managing director. His letter said: "Thanks for broadcasting my request for proper guidance to the Land of Orange Blossoms and Balmey Breezes."

"As a result I am conducting a 'Sunshine Contest.' The Contestants are the towns, individuals, newspapers and organizations writing me. Upon receipt of their letters I rate them, giving a certain percentage for sincerity, hospitality and cheer."

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Thomas, whose attitude as director of Southern California's official tourist advertising organization must be as impartial as Brockway's, wrote requesting the standings of the communities which, unknowing, entered the contest.

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One may also control this pest by spraying with 40 per cent nicotine sulphate by spray properly diluted with water and liquid oil soap as a spreader. This same solution should also control other types of aphids as found on roses, flowers, and shrubs.

Name Officials For Cherry Valley Boy Scout Camp

The following staff of Camp Cherry Valley, Catalina Island summer camp of the Pasadena-San Gabriel Valley Council, Boy Scouts of America, was announced yesterday by Don Gilles, chairman of the department of camping.

Carl Johnson, scoutmaster of Troop 27, Pasadena, as swimming and life saving instructor; Henry Taylor, assistant scoutmaster of Troop 10, Pasadena, as boating and waterfront activities leader; Jack Swan, assistant scoutmaster of Troop 3, Altadena, as handicraft instructor, assisted by Eyril Grayless of Troop 18, Alhambra. Supervising camp sanitation will be Jerry Jones of Troop 2, San Marino; John Benton of Pasadena will be hike master; pioneering and campcraft will be in charge of Gordon Newton of Troop 1, San Gabriel; and Albert Cain of Troop 35, Pasadena, will lead in camp activities. A camp doctor who will supervise the general health and head the well-equipped hospital will be selected later.

Again for the nineteenth year Tallman H. Trask, council Scout executive, will guide the summer camp as executive advisor and business manager while H. Benjamin Robinson, field scout executive, of the department of camping, will be in charge as camp director.

Health Activities Of County Told Kiwanis Club

Functions of the county health department were outlined to Kiwanians Tuesday noon by Dr. J. L. Furstman, health supervisor of the Sierra Madre-Monrovia district.

Dr. Furstman, a regular visitor to the Sierra Madre Club, pictured the department's laboratory work and explained its value in locating sources of epidemics.

Out of 44 incorporated cities, a total of 38 are under the control of the county health department, he pointed out.

Following his 30-minute talk, Kiwanians subjected the doctor to a rapid-fire barrage of inquiries about the department's activities.

Annual Flowers Make Best Bouquets



A Generous Planting of Annuals.

The small gardener who has an overabundance of cutting material in his flower bed is a rarity.

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Any of these may be planted in beds, or the border. They show up well in a single color, mixed or in a selected variety of color. If sown around the first of May, you will have blooms by the first of the following month, which will increase as the season progresses.

MRS. DAVIS WILL SEE HER SON GRADUATE

Mrs. Charles E. Davis, accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. R. Davis and Mrs. William Bush of Altadena, left by automobile last Thursday for Dallas, Texas, where they will be present when Mrs. Davis' son, Edward C. Davis, graduates from the Evangelical Seminary of Dallas. They plan to be away from home about a month.

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May 29 Is Set Aside As Poppy Day

Legion Auxiliary Head Names Committee To Arrange For Observance

Poppy Day will be observed in Sierra Madre this year on Saturday, May 29, Mrs. Val Miller, chairman of the poppy committee of Unit 297 of the American Legion Auxiliary, has announced. Extensive preparations for the observance of the day are being made by the Auxiliary women.

The committee named by Helen Lovejoy to assist Mrs. Miller consists of Mesdames R. H. Pickett, T. P. Buie, James Irvine, B. S. Stinman, C. N. Barker and Collins.

Memorial poppies, to be worn in honor of the World War dead and to raise funds for the welfare of the disabled veterans and needy families of the dead and disabled, will be distributed throughout the city. Organization of corps of "poppy girls" to offer the flowers to everyone on the streets during the day and to receive contributions for the Legion and Auxiliary welfare funds is now under way. The flowers have been ordered from San Fernando Veterans Hospital where they have been made by disabled veterans.

"Poppy Day is the day of personal tribute to the men who gave their lives in the nation's defense," explained Mrs. Miller. On that day everyone can show that they still remember and honor the sacrifices of those who lost their lives in the war. The poppy is their flower, made in their memory by their disabled comrades.

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MUSICAL PLAY WILL PLEASE CHILDREN

Pinocchio, a musical play for children, will be given at the Pasadena Civic Auditorium on Friday evening, May 14, and Saturday afternoon, May 15, by the Junior League of Pasadena.

The play was written by Mrs. Chandler Ward, a member of the Pasadena League. It is a colorful piece with settings laid in Italy, a fictitious city of Jamboree, and at the bottom of the sea complete with singing fish. Pinocchio, a mischievous Marionette, is made on the stage from a stick of wood, and from that time on is continually in hot water. At the very end he cures the Wheezing Whale of asthma and gets the desire of his heart from the Blue Fairy. All of his adventures are accompanied by songs and dancing. The aim of the children's plays is to give wholesome entertainment for children. They are in no way a money raising project.

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Invitations To Tournament Here On June 19 Will Go All Over The Nation

Chess clubs in every state in the union and in all principal countries of the world will be mailed information about this year's Morphy Day tournament here, scheduled for June 19, it was revealed yesterday by Attorney Marcus Woodward, director of the 1937 tournament.

Joining in efforts to "put over" the forthcoming world-famous chess festival, the Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce will mail copies of its new illustrated booklet to chess clubs throughout America, as well as to ranking chess organizations abroad. The Chamber booklet will serve as a "follow up" to the postcards announcing the tournament.

While details of this year's chess festival are still being worked out, it was announced that a rapid transit tournament for women will be added to the program this year. Other important events will be blindfold and simultaneous exhibitions.

In order to accommodate the crowds and to make room for added events, the tournament will get under way at 10 a.m. instead of 1 p.m. as formerly, while the men's rapid transit tournament will start at 3 p.m., one hour earlier.

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Dated April 15, 1937.

By BEN H. BROWN, Public Administrator.

Apr. 16, 23, 30, May 7, 14

Treat In Store For Lovers Of The Great Out-Of-Doors

As their contribution toward the Organ Fund, the ladies of the Church of the Ascension have planned an extraordinary entertainment to be held in the Parish House, Baldwin and Laurel avenues, next Tuesday evening, when Lloyd E. Austin will give an illustrated lecture on "The California Sierras."

Mr. Austin, former presiding genius of Switzerland Camp, in the mountains back of Pasadena, and now with headquarters at Tamarack Lodge in the Mammoth Lakes region of the High Sierras, has passed many years in his accumulation of magnificent pictures in natural colors and a rich store of anecdotes and descriptive information of this American wonderland so loved by John Muir.

Preceding Mr. Austin's lecture, ladies of the committee will serve strawberries, homemade cake and coffee. There will be a moderate charge, the funds to be applied to the recent rebuilding and complete electrification of the church organ.

The entertainment will begin at 7:30.

A. L. A. Activities

A BEAUTIFULLY appointed tea was given by Mrs. R. H. Pickett in her home for two members who are going away soon, Mrs. Wilhelm and Lyllian Wheeler. Many friends called wishing bon voyage to the travelers and to climax the affair a huge assortment of handkerchiefs was presented each honor guest who opened them alternately, that each might see.

Patrick Allen, the new baby of President Helen Lovejoy, held his composure even though he was quite the center of attention.

Very lovely corsages were presented the guests, which were the creation of Mrs. T. P. Buie.

Three Sierra Madre ladies carried home prizes from the Child Welfare dessert bridge in South Pasadena. A total of 225 were present.

MISSOURIANS WILL HOLD TWO PICNICS

The third annual Scotland County, Missouri, Picnic will be held on Sunday, May 16, 1937 in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles.

The Missouri State Society of Southern California will hold its picnic reunion in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles, all day, Saturday, May 22, with basket dinners at noon.

SPRING COLOR HARMONY



Signs of Spring! Fresh new colors for Ford V-8s, tulips in full bloom, Spring frocks for pretty misses and once again the call of the open road. Timed with all the characteristics of freshness and beauty that are common to spring, Ford dealers announce four new Spring colors—Dalmatian green, turquoise blue, silver wing gray and adobe tan, all in keeping with the West's out-of-doors. Special striping and colored wheels harmonize with the new body colors. Local Ford dealers report that increasing numbers of new car buyers have been attracted to their show-rooms since the new colors have been on display.

Teacher Here 18 Years To Retire

Mrs. Eva Moore Saw Many Young Sierra Madreans Grow To Useful Citizens

To pass 18 full, active years serving one cause faithfully is an enviable record; to watch the children one has taught develop into splendid men and women who are able to make a niche for themselves in the world is a pleasant and gratifying experience. Such a record belongs to Mrs. Eva Moore of the Sierra Madre school.

When the last day of school rolls around this year, Mrs. Moore will have closed her desk for the last time, for she is retiring. Many changes have taken place since 1919, the year she first instructed her class of healthy, restless little charges.

Mr. E. O. Reynolds was the principal at that time; several other educators came and went leaving some impression of their individuality.

Changes in teaching have also usurped the old, while even the building itself is another world from the one Mrs. Moore knew in those days. Instead of the imposing Spanish-type edifice that we see at present, a five-room frame structure with separate kindergarten and domestic science rooms occupied the site. Later three more rooms were added, and later four more.

During the various stages of growth, Mrs. Moore has consistently kept abreast with new demands and customs, always exerting a deep influence for good in the minds and lives of her pupils.

"Some people are born teachers," is not such a trite expression that it cannot be employed in the highest sense here, for she is just that. Being the epitome of refinement and integrity, these qualities are naturally infused into the children without undue effort. It is with a joy that one comes out of her colonial-history-study room, so tranquil and delightful it is. Those who can look back with pleasure upon their school days with Mrs. Moore are many young Sierra Madre men and women whose names have gone far in the world of achievement. Their good wishes will accompany her through life, with congratulations that she has deservedly earned the teachers' state pension.

—Mildred Boims.

NO BANQUETS IN HOOSEGOW

Cost of feeding city jail prisoners is 80 cents a day, not 80 cents a meal, as inadvertently reported in last week's NEWS, Chief McMillan pointed out yesterday.

FIRE FLAMES

By One Of The Boys

WHETHER it be due to the fishing season or April showers, the committee on Constitution and By-Laws has fallen down woefully. The Constitution has been completed and read, but the new by-laws have been sadly neglected.

The group of firemen who attend the Red Cross First Aid Class continue to be loyal, which very much pleases Captain Joe Swanson. Among those who appear each Thursday evening are Vern Udell, Lee Hibbs, Harry Lange, Bob Newberry, Harlan Gerlach, Jim Heasley and Captain Swanson. Mr. Harper, the instructor, is kept very busy answering questions asked by inquisitive firemen. Several of the fellows attended a life saving class in Los Angeles last Monday.

Tickets for the dance to be held June 5th can be bought from any of the firemen. There will be no house to house canvassing as is the case with the Christmas dance. As firemen, we have a very fine time and far be it from us to be looking for sympathy, but we would very much appreciate your support of this dance. If this proves a success, the funds will be used for a very beneficial purpose pertaining to the fire department.

Contrast Colors on Vegetable Plate



The reason why so many people do not like vegetables is that frequently they are served in an unappetizing, unimaginative manner. A vegetable plate, as a matter of fact, can be a thrilling experience when it is presented in a dramatic manner.

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Center the plate with a red-cheeked baked tomato. Divide the plate into segments with carrot strips. Put a mound of bright green spinach in one division. A serving of gay red beets next to it. Creamy white turnips next, and in the last spoke of the cartwheel some green peas. Tempting!

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 166305

Estate of IDA E. MUNSELL, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned BEN H. BROWN, Administrator of the Estate of IDA E. MUNSELL, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to present them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at his office at 902 Hall of Records, City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as a place of business in all matters connected with said estate, or to file them with the necessary vouchers, within six months, after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Dated April 15, 1937.

By BEN H. BROWN,

Public Administrator.

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Arcadia Pupil Of Local Poets Wins Festival Prize

First Poetry Prize in the student division of this year's Festival of Allied Arts has just been won by Betty Horn of Arcadia, one of the editors of "Horizons" and a student of Lucia Trent and Ralph Cheyney, of Sierra Madre. This brings the number of prizes won by their students so far this year to more than twenty-five.

Frieda Sterling, leading Los Angeles lecturer and concert manager, has just placed Lucia Trent and Ralph Cheyney under contract for the 1937-38 entertainment season, aided by Betty Horn as supporting poet and cellist. "Their dramatic and beautiful presentations of their poetry and the poetry of others is a most novel and entertaining program for clubs," she states in "Program Flashes of Sterling Attractions." They appear in costume and many of the selections are done in duo and trio voices.

They will appear next month at Barker Brothers' and probably at the May Company, giving recitals from their new book, "Thank You, America!" which is being featured by Lillian Burkhart Goldsmith. Mrs. Goldsmith is one of the Cheyney's fellow performers under Sterling management.

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The heights of Christian perfection can only be reached by faithfully each moment following the Guide who is to lead you there. —H. W. Smith.

NATION'S GARDEN

When the Governor proclaimed that it shall be "asparagus week" in California beginning next Sunday, a good many citizens, weary of all the "weeks," must have greeted the proclamation with an airy "so what?"

But is it so meaningless? We've glorified our famed fruit crops, and everybody knows all about them. It is time to recognize what the farmers have done to make California the chief provider of Mr. and Mrs. America's fresh vegetables as well.

Asparagus, of which this state grows 90 per cent of the nation's supply, is only one of the products. Of carrots, in 1916 we shipped just four carloads eastward. Now we ship about 9000 carloads yearly, or 77 per cent of America's output. Of lettuce, we shipped but 14,000 carloads in 1923. But 1936 this had more than doubled, becoming 35,000 carloads.

And so it has been with tomatoes, celery, cauliflower and artichokes, all of which California today ships more than any other state.

To what do we owe such striking progress? We owe it first to nature, for our climate and our soil. We owe it, also, to the railroads, which annually carry 196,000 carloads of California perishables an average of 2900 miles to market, which have provided ever faster transportation at ever lower cost, and have perfected refrigeration to keep the "greens" crisp and palatable on their long journey to eastern dinner tables.

Most of all we owe it to the farmers themselves. They have irrigated and they have experimented with crops. They have applied a dauntless spirit and tireless energy to the task of making nature produce.

"Asparagus Week" can serve as a reminder that California, long famed as the world's fruit orchard, is now also America's vegetable garden.

THE CORONATION

Crowning a king!

What stupendous pageantry! Gold carriages drawn by many pairs of prancing white steeds... ritualistic rites steeped in tradition centuries old... and potentates from all lands garbed in jeweled robes, in top hats or uniforms or silk court dress... and everywhere the cheering multitudes. What glorious pomp and ceremony!

Or would you say, instead, "What fuss and feathers." In any case, even though the royal tradition and symbolism leave Americans unimpressed, we'll have to admit that the British are putting on a spectacle more than worthy of old Barnum himself. And there is method in the madness of the multi-million-dollar coronation of His Majesty, George VI, the costliest and showiest coronation in the history of monarchs.

Edward left the throne in a rather collapsible condition. Mussolini has badly jolted British prestige. And about the last thing Britian can afford in this war-threatened world right now is dissolution of the bonds of empire. Thus the throne, the strongest bond, must be restored at all costs to its place in the sun. Americans now in London are doubtless enjoying the show. But as for the homage to titles and royalty—well, our citizens are probably more appreciative than ever of the wisdom George Washington showed when he refused the offer of his countrymen, during revolutionary days, to make him King George I of America.

After paying those prices for seats, some coronation visitors have suggested that the royal crest ought to look like a dollar mark.

HOUSEWIVES STRIKE

That headline the other day announcing the possibility of a general nationwide housewives' strike must have set a number of men to thinking what a calamity a "sit down" by the women of the house would be.

Imagine the kind of ad you'd have to place in the "help wanted" columns to get someone to do her work. "Wanted: one person who is excellent cook, skilled buyer, tailor, dishwasher, laundress, janitress, governess and nursemaid for children, to work 16 hours a day for no salary but a variable allowance."

Actually, of course, the threat is not of a "sit down" against husbands, but a buyer's strike by the housewives in protest against rising prices.

The threat may bolster the forces now moving against some causes of "artificial" price increases—that is, those increases which benefit neither farmers nor labor.

Whether prices go up to a point that would cause a housewives' buying strike will depend in part, at least, on the "follow through" force of these price-checking moves. Let's hope they're effective, for a nation-wide buyers' strike would be just the thing to plunge us back into the depths of which we've been climbing for the last four years.

A BALANCE WHEEL

"Our courts are the balance wheel of our whole constitutional system; and ours is the constitutional system so balanced and controlled. Other constitutional systems lack complete poise because they lack support and interpretation of authoritative, indisputable courts of law."

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WOODROW WILSON in "Constitutional Government, in the United States," C. Columbia University Press

LETTERS from Readers

PRAISES FIREMEN

To the Editor of the Sierra Madre News: I hear that the firemen are to give a dance and card party June 5th at the Woman's clubhouse and I want to ask you to "boost" them all you can.

This is one crowd that deserves all it gets and much more. The boys are one of the most efficient and reliable fire companies in the State and their good work has saved Sierra Madre thousands of dollars in reduced fire insurance rates. In addition to this they are fine workers in all civic and charitable causes.

We all know the excellent work they do for the children at Christmas time. Day and night we have seen them repairing and repainting the toys to give happiness to the children, some of whom would get but little Christmas joy if it were not for the fire boys.

This year they got nothing out of the Wistaria Fete so they need what they can make out of the party.

Let's give them a good "boost" and ask all Sierra Madreans to make it unanimous.

H. B. HERSEY.

Sierra Madre, May 11, '37.

HERE THEY COME

Despite the counter attraction 77.7 per cent increase over last a King in England, more American eyes are turning toward California this spring than ever before.

A check of the inquiries about a vacation in Southern California sent to the All-Year Club the first four months of 1937 shows a far tourist of the coronation of the year. Don Thomas, the club's managing director, announced last night.

Since the New Year, his report showed, 57,476 families have written directly to the All-Year Club enclosing clippings from the club's advertisements of Southern California.

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"One day of great heat never yet made a summer."

MAY

14—Lewis and Clark started up the Missouri River to explore the West, 1804.

15—United States Air Mail is established, 1918.

16—United States Mint is authorized to coin the first nickel, 1865.

17—Cody's "Wild West Show" made its first appearance, 1883.

18—Napoleon Bonaparte proclaimed Emperor of France, 1804.

19—Summer began famous "Crime Against Kansas" speech in Senate, 1856.

20—Lindbergh hopped off for Europe in the Spirit of St. Louis, 1927.

The... Watch Tower

By Perley Poore Sheehan

WE'RE glad Lloyd B. Austin is coming here to give us a talk on the High Sierra. We wouldn't miss it for anything. Although, as a general thing, we don't care such an awful lot for lectures, preferring a book—where we can do our own timing, or get a repeat on something we didn't quite catch. Especially on a subject like mountains. Any mountains—the Rockies, the Pamirs, the Pyrenees. Your lecturer, with a subject like that, has got to be a man! Even the bit of a prophet—one in the great tradition of Moses, Isaiah, and the rest.

SO we feel. Because, well, one time long ago, we went up to the mountains. Went up late in March, into the High Sierras, to an elevation of about 8000 feet; right close to that Tamarack Lodge where Mr. Austin now hails from. Mid-April and they were still using dynamite to open the Tamarack road through the snow. A snow-pack hard as ice almost—ten, twenty, fifty feet deep. And the frozen lakes all howling like wolves with every slight change of temperature. A good sound that, although awe-some, when you'd been hearing by far too much down-country babble and jazz.

WONDERFUL woods. You'd climb up and up across the snow through crowded giants that were mostly spruce and pine, with occasional open places—they'd be meadows sheeted with wildflowers later on—where light and air would hit you like a giddy impact. Enough to send you reeling. You'd feel as if you'd fallen into some pool of the sky. But you'd soon be in the blue shadows again, higher and higher—among the tougher tamarack now. And when you were, say, a couple of miles above the Hollywood level you'd run away from, you'd come to timberline. And still the cliffs would be up there yet other thousands of feet above you, serene and terrible.

WE lived alone, except for three dogs. In a tent. Pitched on a rocky knoll, strewn with boulders bigger than a house, and where the tough manzanita made a fantastic jungle—carved from lacquer and jade; with a view to the south and east that stretched away to the White Mountains of Arizona; including a thousand square miles of sky and bottomless seas of air, where often you could watch as many as a dozen different snow-squalls all in operation at once. But always to the north and west—close in, yet infinitely high and remote, eternally watchful, like the God of our Presbyterian childhood—that upmost crest of the High Sierra.

NO other mountains quite like them anywhere else in the world. Unless they be the Pyrenees. Mountain-home of the Basques. A good many Basques even up there in the High Sierras. Mostly sheep-herders, casual laborers. We got to know some of them well—so well we could feel at times that we'd almost become one of their awe-struck brotherhood; which was like some ancient, secret monastic order—one that had taken vows of silence and of everlasting endurance.

WHAT has brought those Basques across six thousand miles of sea and land to live in our High Sierra—away from their women, to burn and freeze, to suffer and toil? Not money. Sometimes they'd leave a job when they had money coming to them—and not show up again—because the boss or just some circumstance had violated their sense of what was fitting. Never a spoken complaint. Silent. Maybe they had come on some such mission as had brought us there. A mission of life and death. Not of mere bodily life and death.

WE'll skip the details. But it was one of those times. When a fellow feels like Oedipus, in the old Greek fable; up against the Sphinx; with the claws of the beast already against your heart; and you'll answer the riddle right or those claws will keep on digging in. You need the mountains in a case like that—with dogs, trees, silent Basques, the mile-high cliffs. Nine Old Men, those cliffs—all granite and ice; and nothing at all between them and God Almighty Himself. But that's one court we'll never want to change.

I AW. You can't squirm out of it. They taught us that. Took all summer—the claws of the Sphinx sinking deeper. Until, at last, all of a sudden, one night, when the big winds were coming out of the North again and once more there were snow and ice in the air, we knew that Law—Law!—was the answer to our riddle. We've got scars. But we're still alive.

SOUNDS sort of highfalutin, now that we've read this over. But we'll lay a bet Lloyd Austin will understand. So will you when you hear him and see his pictures. Anyway, he's a man—and something of a prophet too—or he'd never have been granted the keep of a place like Tamarack Lodge.

Gaddin' Around with BILL PEET

LEE Shippey, author, newspaper columnist, a Sierra Madre citizen and taxpayer comes out with the unqualified statement that the Wistaria Fete "has been the best advertisement our town ever had," adding that it has been a greater community benefit than ever before.

Shippey knows what he is talking about. He appreciates the tremendous value of advertising and the Wistaria Fete this year was given more publicity by press and radio than ever before in the history of the vine.

Not only the big city newspapers throughout California, but the small town weeklies reminded their readers of the Wistaria Fete told of the improvements to the vine and on opening day big town photographers and writers were assigned to feature stories of Sierra Madre's yearly outdoor show.

We have something here of which every Sierra Madrean should feel justly proud and the time to start boosting the 1938 Wistaria Fete is right now. Tell visitors and friends about the vine when you go visiting or when they visit you. Be a consistent booster for the Fete. After all it's a community affair and we want the world to know about it.

How would you like to raise pigeons?

Its very easy and inexpensive according to A. R. Twedell.

Twedell, one of Roy Pickett's garage staff, tells how he started in the pigeon raising business and is quite enthusiastic.

"Not so long ago," said Twedell "a stray pigeon, very tame, came into my back yard looking for something to eat. I fed the pigeon and two weeks later Mrs. Pigeon came back with a mate and decided to stay. One morning I started to feed the pigeons and discovered two more. I don't know where they came from, but I do know they won't leave. I continue to feed them and believe one of them is sitting on a nest of eggs—looks like more pigeons. Twedell swears the foregoing is true.

The little white dog who wagged into the affections of Police Officer Jim Heasley and others now has a permanent home in Frank Lovell's garage and hops into the fire truck when the alarm sounds, sitting close to Lovell.

This little pooch is eligible to roam the streets because he wears a collar and tag. The boys passed around the hat to raise the price.

The dog has been adopted as the Fire Department mascot and has everything but a name. There is a prize offered for a suitable name and the conductor of this column has agreed to accept all nominations as to a suitable name, and let a committee of firemen make the final selection. Send in your name to the NEWS and address Gadding Aroun' Peet.

TOWN PICKUPS

Last session of the NEWS cooking school this afternoon. If you haven't attended, don't miss, you will learn something... George H. Blume is the new owner of the Canyon grocery store. He says he likes Sierra Madre and is here to stay. Lights have finally been installed at the school grounds and our local club started night practice Wednesday... J. Milton (Shorty) Steinberger is the best local weather prophet I have thus far met. So far he has never given me a bum steer... It is said that there are more gophers in the State of Minnesota than any other spot in the world. I have a friend who disputes this emphatically. He says "I have more gophers in my flower garden than Minnesota and all the adjoining states."... Almost time for the yuccas to burst forth into bloom... Here's a wise crack from one of our exchanges.

ADIOS—Hope to be seen' you all next week.

Stuff'n Dates by Ned Moore



THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY! WHAT A RECORD THIS NAME REPRESENTS OF PLUCK AND DARING OF PATIENT INDUSTRY AND HARDY ENDURANCE, OF WILD ADVENTURE AMONG THE SAVAGE INDIAN TRIBES, AND EXPLORATION BY HUNDREDS OF COURAGEOUS MEN AND WOMEN HANDLED OVER THE TORRENT AND WINTRY PLAINS! FOR TWO CENTURIES THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY UNDER ITS ORIGINAL CHARTER, GRANTED IN 1670, UNDER THE FINANCIAL ENTERPRISES OF GREAT BRITAIN, PROMOTED EXPLORATION AND DISCOVERY, GOVERNED A VAST DOMAIN IN THE NORTHERN PART OF THE AMERICAN CONTINENT AND PRESERVED TO THE BRITISH EMPIRE THE LAST TERRITORY HANDLED OVER CANADA IN 1870. FOR NEARLY A GENERATION SINCE THAT TIME THE VETERAN COMPANY HAS CARRIED ON SUCCESSFUL TRADES IN CONNECTION WITH MANY STATES AND HAS SHOWN THE VIGOR OF YOUTH. IT HAS THE HONOR OF TRADE WITH THE INDIANS AND PORTING THAT TIME NOT ONE ACT OF HOSTILITY WAS COMMITTED BETWEEN THEIR TRADERS AND THE INDIANS. IN FACT THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY EXERTED GREAT INFLUENCE OVER THE CONSTANTLY WARRING TRIBES AND WAS INSTRUMENTAL IN KEEPING THEM AT PEACE AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.



The United States has the highest per capita ownership of wealth on earth, and since 1776 it has produced three times as much wealth as the whole world was able to produce before 1776.

Between 1870 and 1930 the number of children in the United States of the ages of five to fifteen gainfully occupied or not at school decreased from 10.7 per cent to 2.9 per cent of the total population. And in recent years the number of children gainfully occupied between ten and fifteen years of age declined about 62 per cent.

Hitch-hiking has been made illegal in Long Beach following robbery of a local motorist who had picked up a thumb-jerking walker, says the Automobile Club of Southern California. Numerous "Good Samaritans" have been held up at gun point in the beach city in payment for their generosity and many pedestrians have met with the same fate after accepting rides from strange motorists.

Balancing income and taxation data, it is found that with an average weekly wage of \$25 to \$30 those who make up the general motoring public pay about \$56 a year in special motoring taxes. The list of taxes making up the total includes state and federal taxes on gasoline, state registration and other fees, and federal excise taxes on lubricating oil, tires, parts, accessories, and on the cars themselves.

Recent enlargement of Death Valley National Monument by 305,000 acres offers scores of scenic and historic attractions hitherto little-known to motor travelers. A new addition in the southeast portion includes the lower sink of Amargosa river, Saratoga Springs, Old Confidence mill, Bradbury well and Jubilee pass. A portion of the western slope of the Panamint range was added to include Telescope Peak, towering 11,045 feet above sea level, the historical mining camp of Wildrose, Wildrose Spring and Pinto Peak. The northwest section has been extended into Nevada taking in the Garpevine mountain country lying in Esmeralda and Nye counties. In the east portion a small strip has been acquired through which the road to Dante's View in the Black Mountain passes.

It has been said from time to time that the power of the press is waning, and that newspapers no longer have the strength or disposition to battle for the pub-

"The poorest economy we know of is a home made sign." Aint it the truth... Hohri, who helps Welch carry on his feed store, insists he can cook as good if not better than any home economist... My good friend Loomis who has opened a real estate office in the Sierra Madre Hotel building, hails originally from New Britain, Conn... He denies that his forefathers sold wooden nutmegs to the Indians... "Mothers Day" is one time of year when the florists are happy, because business is brisk. Newport is so proud of its harbor and has become such a popular spot for deep sea fishermen that city officials have ordered improvements to the entrance of the pleasure fishing pier to include parking space for 1,000 cars, also a modern pier landing to safeguard the handling of live bait and barge fishermen leaving the end of the pier for deep sea fishing along the Orange County Coast line. Week end crowds of fish minded sportsmen are growing steadily.

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TRADING WITH INDIANS 200 YRS WITHOUT A DISPUTE

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lic good in their communities. This week there is available a striking refutation of that theory, in accounts of the work which has just brought Pulitzer Prize awards to three newspapers. To the Atlanta Journal went one award, for exposing corruption and bringing about election of a new mayor and a general house-cleaning for the whole local government. To the Cleveland Press went another, for running a powerful racket out of its city. To the St. Louis Post-Dispatch went an award for exposing and proving election frauds. Of course it's not every newspaper that has opportunities to perform such feats. But by and large, the press-to-day is if anything more powerful, more public-spirited than in the past.

Mussolini and Hitler have made up again, and are once more hanging on each others' necks like a couple of long lost blood brothers. Naturally you'd expect this to occasion some concern in the capitals of Europe's democracies, as well as in Moscow. And perhaps it does, a little. But you can bet your hat that in the aforementioned capitals no one is really very worried about this rapprochement. No program of cooperation between these two dictators can last very long, one reason being that they have different ideas about Austria. More fundamental is the fact that Mussolini personally regards Hitler as an illiterate buffoon. Fundamentally, also, is the fact that two dictators, each with the habit and the temperament for running the whole show his own way, can not long work harmoniously together.

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BIRTHDAY GREETINGS...

THE NEWS extends birthday greetings and its best wishes this week to the following Sierra Madreans, whose birthdays are indicated...

Mary Ward	May 15
Henry Olsen	May 16
Charles B. Young	May 16
Milton Bowler	May 16
Edwin Evans	May 16
Mrs. Nora E. Mesecar	May 16
C. Hall Perry	May 16
John Raymond	May 16
Raymond Bartlett	May 17
Ray Fox	May 17
LeRoy Embree	May 17
Mrs. Sylvia Merrill	May 18
Robert A. W. Cox	May 18
Mrs. C. N. Barker	May 20
Carolyn L. Johnson	May 20
Mrs. William Adwell	May 20
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Frequent Visitor Here Dies In Battle Creek

Word has been received from Battle Creek, Mich., by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mercer, of the death of their son's wife, Helen Leston Mercer.

Besides her husband, Richard S. Mercer, commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of Battle Creek, she leaves three children, Richard Jr., Barbara Lou and Beverly Jane; her father, a sister, Mrs. J. J. Mercer, and a brother Lester.

Mrs. Mercer, who was 31 years of age and a frequent visitor here, was the sister-in-law of Mrs. Marion L. Hays, Mrs. Dorothy Jacobson and Mrs. Betty Connell.

Noble Carries His Pension Plan To San Diego

Robert Noble, state leader of the proposed pension plan for California which has for its slogan, "25 Every Monday Morning," personally appeared before a large mass meeting at the San Auditorium in San Diego on Sunday and presented the plan in detail to citizens of the southern city.

A special Santa Fe train of 14 coaches carried about 1000 enthusiastic supporters of the plan from Los Angeles. In addition, many made the trip by motor.

TRAVEL FROM CLEVELAND TO SEE RAMONA PAGEANT

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheets and Mrs. Mary Graham of Cleveland, O., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Caley of 233 Ramona avenue recently. Mr. and Mrs. Sheets came to Southern California for the opening of the Ramona out-door play at Hemet as Mrs. Sheets' sister is Jean Innes, who takes the leading role of Ramona and her brother-in-law, Victor Jory who plays the part of Alessandro.

OHIO VISITORS ENJOY THEIR VISIT HERE

After an enjoyable three weeks of vacation in Southern California, Mrs. Henry A. Butler and Mrs. Frank Cunningham left last Wednesday for their home at Youngstown, Ohio, returning via the northern route. They have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold I. Stitt, at their home, 565 West Sierra Madre Blvd. Mrs. Butler, who is one of the directors of the Butler Art Institute at Youngstown, especially enjoys her visits to the different art museums in California.

Swell Prizes At Cooking School

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Madre News—Mrs. M. C. Roos, 60 West Montecito avenue. Iris Vegetables—Mrs. Wm. D. Richards, 430 Sturtevant Drive. Ben Hur Tea—Mrs. Philip Ketchum, 282 San Gabriel Ct. K. C. Baking Powder—Ethel M. Henderson, 161 Santa Anita Ct. Two theatre tickets, Uptown Theatre—Mrs. W. O. Preston, 503 West Montecito.

Quart of Wine, by Happy's Liquor Store—Mrs. Myrtle Brown, 652 Alta Vista Drive.

Quart of Wine, Happy's Liquor Store—Mrs. R. H. McCullough, 223 West Laurel.

A-1 Sauce—Miss Grace Mayhew, 180 S. Michillinda.

Potted Plant, Ward Nursery—Mary J. Blanke.

Pompeian Olive Oil—Mrs. F. S. Fergus, 268 W. Laurel.

Pompeian Olive Oil—Mrs. A. Braum, Westminster Hotel, L. A.

Pompeian Olive Oil—Miss Ida Finstock, 28 N. Baldwin.

Potted Plant, George Kunihito's Oakwood Nursery—Mrs. T. W. Storm, 80 East Laurel.

Iris Golden Tomato Juice—Mrs. C. V. Cameron, 113 S. Hermosa.

Prizes were also won by Mrs. S. Greenberg, 101 North Auburn, and Mrs. Helen W. Hill, 47 South Lima.

BIG DOUBLE BILLS AT ARCADIA THEATRE

"Nancy Steele Is Missing" and "Borderland" comprise the double bill showing Friday and Saturday at the Arcadia Theatre. On the same program is Deanna Durbin in "Every Sunday."

Starting Sunday is the Victor Herbert musical, "Maytime," starring Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy. The companion film is "Midnight Court."

BLACK LEGION NOW AT UPTOWN THEATRE

"Black Legion," with Humphrey Bogart, Dick Foran, Ann Sheridan and Dickie Jones, and "When Your Birthday," starring Joe E. Brown and featuring Marian Marsh and Fred Keating, are currently showing at the Pasadena Uptown Theatre.

ST. RITAS PUPILS TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

The pupils of St. Rita's School will give a little program on the evening of June 9th, in the Parish Hall. All are preparing now to make the event a very successful one. Items of the program will be published later.

Girls Honor Mothers Superbly

Sunday School Class Puts On Extensive Program And Serves Tea

Honoring their mothers on the occasion of Mother's Day, Mrs. Waverly Pratt's Sunday school class of the Congregational church entertained with a delightful tea and program given Saturday afternoon in the ladies' parlors of the church. About forty were present. Misses Jean Spoelstra and June Daugherty poured tea at a table beautifully appointed in pink and white, centered with a white marble hand-sculptured statue of a mother and two children, banked on either side with sweet peas and baby breath and candles.

Preceding the tea, members of the class entertained their mothers with a program. Sue Adwell gave a reading entitled, "Flowers to Mother," as three girls entered the room carrying trays of sweet peas and pansy corsages and presenting them to the mothers.

Other numbers on the program included, "A Tribute to Mother" by Barbara Gerschler; song, "Hail Her" by the Sunday School class, including Lorraine Hobson, Margaret Scott, Geraldine Davis, Muriel Royce, Anna Starbuck, Lela Pickett, accompanied at the piano by Berta Uriarte.

Continuing the program consisted of a reading by Marjorie Pickett, and song, "Roses for Mother" by Gloria Daugherty; reading, "My Mother's Hand," by Velma Pickett; a reading by Betty Jo Adams; a vocal duet "My Mother" by Lois Lovell and Barbara Gerschler. Grace Jensen and Jean Spoelstra entertained with readings, "My Mother's Bible," a vocal duet by Margaret Adwell and Mary Lou Lovejoy, and a song, "Wonderful Mother of Mine," by the class, concluded the program as the girls escorted their mothers to the tea room.

UNITY CHAPTER WILL BE FORMED HERE

Formation of a local chapter of the Unity School of Christianity will take place at a meeting in the city hall council chambers at 8 p.m. next Tuesday, it was announced yesterday.

Mrs. Norma Knight Jones, of Kansas City, will assume the leadership of the group. Interested persons are extended a cordial welcome.

Nine-Year-Old Girl Writes A Poem On Mother's Day

Little Miss Barbara West dreamed about Mother's Day Saturday night and awoke early Sunday morning with the subject still on her mind. Before the family arose she jumped out of bed and began to write. Eventually she found a red crayon. When her mother came to the breakfast table she found a verse on a piece of paper, bordered with red flowers. Captioned "A Mother's Day," the verse read as follows:

"A Mother's way is to love you more.
"A Mother's way is to do after and before.
"If you are sick upon your bed,
"She will sit right by and rub your head.
"She will care for you as long as she lives,
"Never asking she always gives.
"That's a Mother's way."

Barbara is nine years old, a pupil in the fourth grade of the grammar school and the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat West of East Sierra Madre Blvd.

MRS. W. E. PRATT TAKES LEAD ROLE IN ELIJAH

Mrs. Waverly E. Pratt is portraying the role of High Priestess in an elaborate dramatic production of Mendelssohn's oratorio "Elijah," given at the First Methodist church of Los Angeles this week. Tudor Williams, who is under contract to Paramount, plays the leading role. The play is under the direction of Mrs. Pratt's mother, Mrs. Mae W. Hicks, with Dr. Earl S. Blakeslee directing the musical score. RKO motion picture executives have reserved a block of seats for three nights, expecting later to film it for their studios.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY WILL MEET NEXT TUESDAY

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Congregational Church will meet Tuesday, May 18, in the ladies' parlors with the usual luncheon at 12:30. Mrs. W. H. Hannaford is in charge of the devotion. Mrs. May Barlow will entertain with a vocal solo. The speaker for the afternoon will be announced at the Sunday morning service. Reservations may be made with Mrs. Mildred Taylor, by calling 118-2.



Mrs. L. B. Maragee of San Francisco, is a guest this week at Hotel Sierra Madre.

Mrs. Ethel Cardell of San Diego, is the house guest of her brother, Frank and Mrs. Lovell.

Mrs. E. Church of Los Angeles, has rented Mrs. Inger K. Spait's cottage at 181 Vista Circle Drive.

A. N. Adams, 69 Montecito Court, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is reported much improved at this time.

Mrs. Hattie I. Kelly of Long Beach, is spending this month at Inn Cline Cottage, 429 Sturtevant Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie D. Knobloch, 275 Hacienda Drive, have as their houseguest this week, Mrs. C. O. Hooper of Calipatria, Imperial Valley.

Rev. W. H. Hannaford, 138 West Montecito avenue, is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Ruth Weed in Coachella Valley.

Miss Thomasella H. Graham, 457 North Lima street, returned home Friday morning after spending several weeks at La Jolla.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lewis have moved from Monrovia to Mrs. Anna S. Bacon's cottage at 571 Woodland Drive.

The Gardens Chapter of Order of Eastern Star, Los Angeles, met on Wednesday with Mrs. C. C. Palmore at her cottage at 642 Woodland drive. Forty members were present for luncheon and a social afternoon.

A. E. Barrett of the Barrett Dress Shop, North Baldwin avenue, in company with Moreland Raffelson of Los Angeles, Pacific Coast manager of the Old-Tyme Distilleries, left Tuesday morning on a four-day business trip to San Francisco.

Mrs. Lucille Martens, noted home economic expert who is conducting THE NEWS cooking school at the Sierra Madre Woman's clubhouse this week and her assistant, Miss Mary Clark, are stopping at the Sierra Madre Hotel.

Mrs. Myrtle LaDue of Long Beach, and Mrs. Percy Neeland of Los Angeles, were weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Sarah M. Butler, 387 Ramona avenue.

Mrs. Estella Fennell, 409 So. Alverado, Los Angeles, is a guest this week in the home of Mrs. S. E. McMillan, 307 N. Baldwin avenue.

Mrs. W. E. Bean of San Jose, who is visiting relatives in Sierra Madre, was a luncheon guest Tuesday afternoon of Mrs. Edgar W. Camp at the Wistaria Vine.

Miss Clara Sykes, Mrs. Thyra Golden, Mrs. Laura Cline and her guest, Mrs. Effie Runkle of Santa Monica, enjoyed a picnic dinner at San Gabriel Canyon on Thursday.

Mrs. Laura Cline, 429 Sturtevant Drive, has had as her house guests for several days, Mrs. Lotte Eddy Post of Madison, Wis. Mrs. Post has been spending the winter months in California.

Miss Margaret Lacey returned Thursday to El Paso, Texas, where she is employed, after several weeks vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. P. E. Lacey, 374 Grove street.

Mrs. C. E. Sommer and son, Gilbert, 614 West Grand View avenue, and Mrs. May Barlow and son Earl, enjoyed Sunday dinner at the Barlow home, 52 East Highland avenue.

Captain and Mrs. E. G. Everett and Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard represented the local Congregational Church at the Annual Conference of Congregational Churches at Pomona on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Lester Perry, son of Mrs. I. Perry of this city, received word this week of his appointment as manager of a Safeway store in Pasadena. Until this time he has been with the Alhambra store and was for a time in the Baldwin avenue Safeway Store.

Mrs. J. H. Robertson, state chairman for the Junior membership of the CFWC attended a tea on Monday in Redlands at

Kimberly Crest, the home of the National chairman of Juniors, honoring Mrs. Roberta Campbell Lawson, General Federation president. Tuesday morning Mrs. Robertson left to attend the State Convention at Coronado, and will remain through Saturday to preside at the Junior Convention Friday evening and Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Schwartz and Miss Mary Frances Brain, newly elected president and treasurer of the Sierra Madre Junior Woman's Club, left this morning for Coronado, where they will represent the local club at the State Junior convention of the California Federation of Women's Clubs. They will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hull, 540 West Montecito avenue, and daughter, Miss Cynthia Hull of Los Angeles, returned Sunday evening from a pleasant weekend trip to Barstow. They were joined there by their son Charles, who is employed at Kingman,

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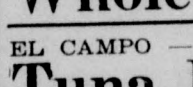


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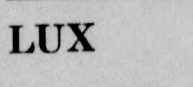
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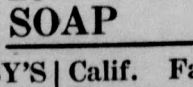
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